



## PATENT

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Jorge A. Morando

For : **MATERIAL FORMULATION FOR  
GALVANIZING EQUIPMENT  
SUBMERGED IN MOLTEN ALUMINUM  
AND ALUMINUM/ZINC MELTS**

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## AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington D. C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This Amendment is in response to the Office Action mailed December 22, 1999. Please amend the application as follows:

In the Specification:

Please add new page 42 (Abstract of the Invention) to the present Specification. New page 42 is attached to this response.

In the Claims:

Please cancel claims 1, 34' and 49'.

~~50~~ (Amended) An article of equipment intended to be submerged in molten zinc, molten aluminum and mixtures thereof, said article including an alloy comprised of:

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